

# BOY BANDITS STAGE DARING MAIL HOLD-UP

## New Liquor Law To Be Made Out of Present Statute

Teeth to be Put in Mulberger Law by Bill to be  
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Matheson.

(By Associated Press)

**MADISON, Jan. 18.**—Proposed amendments to the Mulberger act, which it is claimed will make Wisconsin one of the driest states in the country, have been drafted by the Wisconsin Anti-Saloon league and will be introduced in the legislature this week, according to R. P. Hutton, leader of the dry movement in the state. It will be introduced in the assembly by A. E. Matheson of Janesville.

Present machinery for enforcement of prohibition are maintained under the amendments. All officers of the law are made responsible for effective enforcement of the dry act, with a penalty for negligence, fines are increased, sale of patent and proprietary medicines further restricted, granting of prescriptions limited, and practically all provisions of the Mulberger law made more stringent.

Intoxicating liquor would be construed to be all drinks of whatever description containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol by volume. District attorneys are to be ex-officio deputy prohibition commissioners of their counties and have the cooperation of all officers of the peace.

**WHAT MAKE Complaints.**

Every state, county, or city peace officer who would know of any offense committed against the act or be informed of any and then neglect or refuse to make complaint would be deemed guilty or misdemeanor and be punished by a fine not exceeding \$200.

The commission of the prohibition would have the same power to serve and execute process as sheriffs, and he would be empowered to appear in court with the same powers as the district attorney whenever it is deemed advisable.

Permits would be required of anyone having in possession of selling liquors containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol with a bond of \$1,000 for the faithful compliance with the laws. The same would apply to patent and proprietary medicines capable of being used as beverages. No druggist would be allowed to sell liquor, except for medicinal purposes on a physician's prescription and on permit.

**License for Sale.**

If the amendments are adopted the sale of non-intoxicating beverages would be by license, the minimum fee for which would be set at \$30, and a maximum of \$100, one per cent of which would be paid to the state to be applied to prohibition enforcement.

No more than a pint of liquor every ten days would be issued to any one person, and then only on a doctor's prescription.

Every railroad or express company transporting liquor in Wisconsin would be required to keep a record of the shipment and send it each month to the clerk of the county in which it was delivered.

Any utensil, contrivance, machine, preparation compound, tablet, substance, formula, direction or receipt advertised, designed or intended for use in the unlawful manufacture of intoxicating liquor would be prohibited.

**Selling Places Prohibited.**

Any place used for the sale of intoxicating liquor would be adjudged a common nuisance and any person operating the same liable to a fine of \$500 or one year imprisonment or both. A temporary injunction could be obtained restraining the owner from moving or in any way interfering with the liquor or fixtures in the place in which a violation of the law occurred.

Issuing search warrants no longer.

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## 40 DEGREES BELOW UP IN ONTARIO

(By Associated Press)

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Forty degrees below zero was the temperature at Iroquois Falls, Ont., this morning. All Canada, except the Pacific and Atlantic coasts, is apparently in the grip of zero weather.

## FIRST COLD DAY OF WINTER IN NEW YORK

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The first cold day of winter prevailed throughout northern New York today. The temperature in this city this morning was 16 below zero.

## Com. Towers Striken With Appendicitis at Sea

On board U. S. S. New Mexico at sea, (By Radio to Associated Press), Jan. 18.—Commander John H. Towers, division commander of the NC-apparatus on the flight from San Diego to California to Panama, was stricken with appendicitis while at sea and transferred in a serious condition to the hospital ship Moyer of the Navy fleet. He was operated on immediately and will live. Fleet surgeons said today.

## AT WASHINGTON

(By Associated Press)

Washington.—The Institute of American Architects called a meeting of Congress to propose a bill to restrain American packers from further extending their world trade, which it charged was a consequence of the circulation in foreign countries of the commission's report on the investigation of the "Big Five" packers.

Government aid to make the upper Mississippi river navigable as far north as St. Paul was requested by a delegation of business men from cities on the river above St. Louis, appearing before the house rivers and harbors committee.

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No matter what you have to sell, a classified ad in the Gazette Classified page can produce results. Call 77 either phone.

## Furniture Sells Fast

The Taylor-Kamps Land company was given a quantity of household furniture to sell for one of its clients. Realizing the value of advertising they placed an ad in the Gazette Classified page. The next morning calls began coming in fast, that an accurate count cannot be taken.

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# U.S. FINANCES GROW HEALTHIER

Quick Change for Better Is Predicted in Business World.

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

Washington, Jan. 18.—No paper money has been retired from circulation in the last 18 days than at any other previous period. American railroads, and as a consequence the railroads, have passed from the bows of our government officials. The process of deflation followed normal lines. Much has been taken its course. Liquidation has been extensive. And the entire financial situation is healthier than it has been in some time.

Various statements issued by the federal reserve boards indicate that about \$245,000,000 in federal reserve notes have been retired in the last three weeks, which is about \$50,000,000 more than was the case for the same period last year. Similarly since the middle of December loans have decreased about \$750,000,000 corresponding to the reduction in the amount of currency.

Officials Are Optimistic.

Officials are drawing optimistic inferences from these figures and are confident that it means a quick change for the better in business as a whole. For as soon as the taking of stock in January is completed, the buying of spring goods and the general elements of spring business will begin to be financed. The financial condition of the business world, as reflected in the data gathered by the federal reserve board, is satisfactory; and the natural expansion of currency and increase of credits which occur in the early spring are confidently expected.

The retirement of \$245,000,000 in federal reserve notes has another meaning. The decline signifies a reduction by more than two dollars of the per capita circulation of money. Fortunately the cost of living is tumbling so that as the amount of money in circulation diminishes, the purchasing power of the dollar is rising.

Sets New Record.

So far as is known, this reduction of more than two dollars establishes a new record. Certainly no such change has been recorded in an equal space of time. And as a further evidence of the success of the deflation currents in American finance, the earning assets of the federal reserve board have dropped below the three billion mark for the first time since Jan. 9, 1920.

In a nutshell, the policy of contraction of credit which the federal reserve board instituted last spring has had the desired effect, only it begins to appear that the results were accomplished in less time than most people thought would be the case. And it begins to look as if the contracting machinery had operated so far that relaxation may be expected henceforth. The prospect is that bankers will not find justification hereafter for insisting on such substantial curtailments on the notes they hold.

The federal reserve board itself will probably remain silent, taking no official action, but there are more ways than one for the board to indicate indirectly to the bankers of the country that the pinching process has gone far enough and that it would do no harm to give the business world easier breathing on pending issues.

Of course the federal reserve board has a delicate problem to face in trying anything of the sort. For the farmer or producer who has been obviously turning his goods into market

at practically any price so as to get money to pay loans might view a relaxation of credit policy as a sign that his goods are higher prices. The federal reserve board will probably do nothing that will interfere with the steady though painful decline in the cost of living no matter who is affected by the prices of commodities. The board has insisted from the start that its policy of contraction was the only way to force the cost of living down.

So while the board sees to the process of liquidation we have not far enough, there are others who want the federal reserve to hold steady and compel prices to go down even further. But there is abundant evidence that the cutting process has gone far enough and that a change for the better in the credit situation is imminent.

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**ELKHORN MAN GOES TO ISLE OF PINES**

Elkhorn.—Gen. Hollister, Dehaven, leaves next week for the Isle of Pines, to look after his holdings and visit with friends.

The Braden Clothing company of Dehaven entertained its salesmen at a banquet on Friday evening Saturday morning the salesmen started for their territories to begin the 1921 campaign.

George L. and Grant D. Harrington attended the luncheon meeting in Janesville, Saturday.

Delavan Commandery, K. T., will hold inspection and a school of instruction on Feb. 1, under the direction of the inspector general, Pitt Smith.

D. L. Glover, for many years a Delavan business man, died in the county insane asylum last Saturday. The body was taken to Delavan for burial.

Elkhorn has a case of genuine small-pox.

Will Foster has been chosen by the Farm Bureau as county field agent and will devote his entire time to the work. Mr. Foster is a graduate of the state university, and was a captain in the late war.

Charles Osborne's house in South Elkhorn was damaged by fire Monday morning. The prompt work of the fire department saved the house from total destruction.

None Small, county employee of the county farm, died Sunday morning. Her home was in Lake Geneva.

Judge Lyon is expected home from Ohio on Jan. 27, and will resume his court work in February.

Walworth county has just received \$10,575.53 inheritance tax from the estate of Nathan Dickinson, who lived in the town of Linn.

**MILWAUKEE MAN TO BE AT S. A. HALL**

Captain Elmer Johnson, Milwaukee, will conduct a special meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening at Salvation Army headquarters. He is in charge of young people's work in the Lake division and also has charge of the Salvation Army's work at Washington. The public is invited to attend.

**WALWORTH WOMAN IS BURIED ON SUNDAY**

By Gazette Correspondent.

Walworth—Funeral services for Mrs. Josie Jigbee-Smith, wife of O. E. Smith, who died last Friday, were held from the S. D. B. church Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the village cemetery.

Mrs. Smith was a pioneer resident of Walworth. She was a member of the S. D. B. church.

## 734 PUPILS START "MILK LUNCHES"

Nurse's Report Shows 35 Pct of Children Here Are Under Weight.

A campaign to fatten 734 Janesville school children who are underweight was started Monday in several of the public schools. Pupils will bring 15 cents each week which will allow them half pint of milk daily. This is being done under the supervision of Miss Alice Glenn, Reg Cross nurse who has examined 2,356 children in the city schools during the last semester.

About 35 per cent of the children are underweight: 47% are 10 per cent underweight; 53, 20 percent under. The feeding of milk will be conducted with the idea of bringing the children back to normal weight.

The following table shows the situation in the public schools as compiled from Miss Glenn's examination:

School	Number	Weight	10 per cent under	20 per cent under	30 per cent under	40 per cent under	50 per cent under
St. Paul's	81	29	12	12	2	2	2
Washington	128	34	12	12	2	2	2
St. Paul's	128	34	12	12	2	2	2
Grant	98	35	12	12	2	2	2
Webster	90	35	12	12	2	2	2
Jackson	125	35	12	12	2	2	2
St. Mary's	125	35	12	12	2	2	2
Lincoln	68	35	12	12	2	2	2
Garrison	111	35	12	12	2	2	2
Jefferson	143	35	12	12	2	2	2
Total	3364	476	52	52	14	14	14

## TO SERVE MEALS AT "Y" AFTER MARCH 1

With the installation of the cafeteria department in the basement of the Y. M. C. A. which will be completed about March 1, according to J. A. Steiner, banquets held in the gymnasium will be served by the Y. M. C. A.

A dumb waiter will be installed and will transport the food from the cafeteria kitchen to the second floor. The cafeteria will be in charge of Mrs. Margaret True, who will be assisted by an expert staff of cooks to give the best of service at three meals which will be served every day except Sunday.

Three women have applied for positions as cooks to date.

The head of the service is promised by J. A. Steiner, who is making preparations to install a fine equipment in kitchen and dining rooms. For the accommodation of patrons of the cafeteria a door is being made which will lead directly from the basement at the corner of High and Milwaukee streets. The lockers will be moved into the bowling alley room and the bowling alleys will be sold.

**CARPENTERS TO HOLD SMOKER FRIDAY EVE.**

A committee composed of William Tucker, chairman, Stanley Tyson and Albert Klatt, will have charge of the smoker of the Local Union of Carpenters and Joiners to be held Friday night at the hotel. All non-union carpenters are invited.

The committee announces good speakers have been obtained. There will be music and refreshments.

## Voice of the People

To the Editor of the Gazette:  
I seen the piece you put in your paper about Mr. George Bidwell and myself. Now I don't know if that you have nothing right at all and that you had better wake up and take the real test note about a thing before you put it in the paper. It would not be so far behind the other papers.

Now here is the way it goes: In the first place, I never lived in Evansville. I was only in it in your paper. I was only in it in your paper about half now. I have always lived in Janesville outside of what I said. I spent with my mother-in-law in Evansville. And the next thing is that Mr. Bidwell is not 58 years old. He is only 46. Get that? His name is not George E. Bidwell. It is George W. Bidwell.

Also you had it that his wife had not been living with him for a year. Why, that is not it. He has not been living with her for 2 years now. But he has got a living a half of it. She has got a living with him. You would know with her today. Tell her to put it in the paper that way.

You said we were waiting just to trial. Why we never thought of anything like that. We pleaded guilty at once and paid our fine of which you had better fine out how much and get it wrong like all the rest of us.

And we never failed to get rid of the police officer. We moved because we got better places. See? And we are not the only ones that were living together or that are. If half the ones had there just dues they get it to.

One thing about it, the Racine people, they don't try to ruin some one all the time. They do it once. They try and help them out. But let any one get down in that town that has not got any money and it is all off. But let some that has a lot of money, they get out. And there is but little in the paper. And if the police like them they get out. Some police force. They better wake up too, and do something to earn these money.

Well, it is over and we are both free. We have both done wrong but we have paid for it and didn't need any of Mrs. Bidwell's money either. But we are clear. Better write Mr. James at Racine and have out to see you will have some more to put in wrong.

Beloit, Wis.

## Hold Funeral Services For Albeit Coming, Darien

Darien—Funeral services for Albeit Coming were held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock from the home here. Interment was in the Darien cemetery.

The M. W. of A. will hold their installation services of officers on January 27. All women are requested to be present. Bath is to be served.

J. D. Clowes was an Elkhorn visitor last Thursday.—Fr. Catoe of Michigan, well known for his work in the west, was here on Friday night in connection with the installation of officers on last Friday night.—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dickman, of Janesville, were in Darien Thursday.—The F. E. M. met with Mrs. William Haffly last Friday night.—Miss Molly Bobols is ill at her home.

# Telephone Growth

## AND THE Problems Involved

The increase of telephone costs, and rates, as a city grows, is a simple necessity, when understood, but is too often misunderstood, largely because it is not clearly explained. Telephone growth, that is, increase in the number of subscribers, reverses the ordinary rule that the bigger the business the cheaper the service.

**The fact is that many costs of operation increase in almost geometrical proportion, as the number of subscribers grows.**

This is the way it works, and the reason: A city with 5000 telephone subscribers has facilities for that number, and each subscriber can talk to each and all of the 4999 others. Double the subscriber and each one has opportunity to speak with 9999 people.

It needs no further demonstration than the statement of such a fact, to make it clear that the increase cost of telephones will follow, more operators, more plant and more supervision.

Anybody may realize, also, that to keep plant growth up to the pace of a growing city like Janesville, means wise foresight, that plans and prepares years ahead of actual use. This requires capital that must be unremunerative while the city is catching up and forcing further investment. Two years in advance of actual needs is the rule with most enterprising companies.

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## Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19.

Afternoon—O. E. S. study class—Masonic temple.  
 Carnation club—Mrs. Edna Schaeferberg.  
 L. M. B. S., La Prairie—Mrs. Mary Lowry.  
 Janesville-Madison bridge club—George McKee home.  
 Tea for Mrs. Keeley—Mrs. Allen Dunwidie.  
 W. C. T. U.—Mrs. F. H. Porter.  
 Evansville Club masquerade dance—East Side hall.  
 Brotherhood supper—M. E. church.  
 A. O. U. W.—West Side hall.

Girls Interested in X. W.—D. S. E. girls meeting last evening at the Presbyterian church expressed interest in the Y. W. C. A. project and discussed how they could help the movement. Plans were discussed for enlarging the club and each member was asked to bring a friend who could become a member. Mrs. S. M. Smith had charge of the program and Mrs. Earl Brown led the business session. Supper was served at 6:30 o'clock.

Parent-Teachers' Plan—Parents and teachers of St. Mary's school, meeting Monday afternoon, planned to hold a card party Friday, Feb. 4, in the basement of the church. The men are invited to attend.

W. C. T. U. Meets—Child welfare will be the subject for discussion at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. H. Porter, 603 West Bluff street. Mrs. J. A. Melrose is to have charge of the program.

All Day Meeting of Aid—An all day meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held Wednesday at the Baptist church.

Miss Gardner Hostess—Miss Jennie Gardner, \$15 million avenue, will entertain four couples at her home this evening at cards. They will meet every Tuesday evening in the future. Five hundred will be played.

County Officers Here—Mrs. Lucy Dickinson and Mrs. Sara Greenwood, Edgerton, county officers of the W. T. U., were in the city Monday transacting business connected with the Frances Willard school.

D. of I. Plan Meeting—Daughters of Isabella will hold a meeting Thursday evening at the East Side Odd Fellows hall. Rev. Dean James P. Ryan, never elected chaplain of the order, will give an address in which he will emphasize the project of a home for women and girls to be fostered by the Daughters of Isabella. Following the chaplain's address a social time will be held. All members are urged to attend.

Madison Women Here—Madison women who are members of the Madison Jeannette Duplicate Bridge club will be entertained Wednesday by the Janesville women. The game will begin at 7:30 o'clock at the George McKee home, 55 East street. A luncheon will be served at one o'clock after which the game will be finished. Those who are to attend are the Mesdames Edward Gurnon, Ed Fiske, Herbert Johnson, Stanley Banks, James Pyne, Harry Sheldon, Ralph Jackman and C. Robbins. Members of the Janesville team are the Mesdames Frank Jackman, John M. Whitehead, George S. Parker, Norman Carl, Arthur Harris, John Rexford, J. L. Wilcox, Alice Sale and Miss Curtis.

Entertainment at School—An entertainment is to be given at the Jefferson school Thursday evening to raise funds for the use of the Parent-Teachers organization. There will be a travel talk by F. F. Lewis illustrated with slides; a group of folk dances given by pupils, and ice cream and cake will be served by the program committee. The entertainment begins at 7:30 o'clock.

Bridge Players—Mrs. Daniel Stelly, 715 Fourth avenue, entertained eight women at cards this afternoon. Bridge was played to be followed by a five o'clock supper. Mrs. Al Knell, Beloit, was the out-of-town guest.

Tea for Mrs. Keeley—Mrs. Allen Dunwidie, 623 St. Lawrence avenue, has given out invitations for a tea at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The guest of honor will be Mrs. William Keeley Jr., New York City.

Mrs. Connell Hostess—Mrs. Joseph Connell, South Academy street, was hostess to 16 women at bridge Saturday afternoon. Prizes were taken by Mrs. William McCue, Mrs. T. P. Burns and Mrs. Edgar McDonald. At five o'clock Mrs. Connell served a tea.

Woods Entertain—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wood, 309 Milton avenue, will entertain this evening. Four married couples will be guests and bridge will be played.

Co-Hostesses at Luncheon—Mrs. Herman Frick and Miss Harriet Sanger, 225 Jackson street, gave a one o'clock luncheon Monday. It was one of a series being given by them this season. Each small table was decorated with a bouquet of pink and white carnations and marigolds. Bridge was played in the afternoon at five tables. Prizes were taken by Mrs. Otto Lukas and Miss Mabel Shumway.

Stablers Entertain—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stabler, 336 South Third street, gave a dinner and card party Monday evening. Dinner was served at 7:30 o'clock. Places were laid for 15. A large bouquet of marigolds and pink carnations decorated each table. In the evening five hundred was played and the prize taken by William Curtes.

Meeting Postponed—The meeting of the Y. P. S. of Trinity church scheduled for this evening has been postponed until one week from this evening when the society will meet at Parish house.

Study Class to Meet—The Eastern Study class will meet Wednesday afternoon at the Masonic temple. It will be Indian day. Each member will answer roll call by giving the name of some famous Indian. The topics of the afternoon will include papers on "Wisconsin Indians," given by Mrs. Mauri Harlow; "Indian Art and Life," Mrs. Fannie Munger,

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Miss Conroy Weds.—At St. Peter's church at 7:30 o'clock this morning occurred the wedding of Miss Margaret Conroy and James Keenan, both of this city. Nuptial high mass was celebrated by the Rev. Dean James F. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Sullivan attended the couple. The bride wore a beautiful gown of ivory fantasy. Her picture was of white georgette and she wore a corsage of sweet peas and swansons. Miss Keenan, a very saucy young woman, came dressed with secretary to converse with Columbia roses and a picture hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Kressel left immediately for Chicago. They will be at home Feb. 1 at 251 South Jackson street. The bride has always lived in this city where she has a host of friends. Mr. Kressel came to the city two years ago. He is a machinist for the C. M. & St. Paul road.

A. O. U. W. Meets—Gideon lodge, No. 445, A. O. U. W. will hold regular meeting Wednesday evening at West Side Odd Fellows hall. Refreshments will be served and a card party given. Members and friends are invited.

Attend Sororit Dinner.—Miss Madeline Clark, 322 South Bluff street, and Miss Betty Danning, 711 School street, attended the banquet given Saturday at the Hilton hotel, Beloit, by the Delta Psi Delta society of Beloit college. Thirty-five members attended the affair which was given in compliment to the pledges. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock.

Celebrate Anniversary.—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Breckenridge, 741 Yukon street, entertained a company of friends Sunday evening in observance of their wedding anniversary. One hundred was played at five tables and the prize taken by Paul Kohler. Lunch was served at the close of the evening.

Announce Marriage.—Mr. and Mrs. William F. Quade, La Prairie, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ella, to Alexander Mayson on James Bay, La Prairie. The ceremony took place Wednesday, Jan. 12, at Rockford. Mr. and Mrs. Janis will make their home on a farm near Shopton.

Dinner Club Meets.—Mrs. Harry C. Hansen, 2415 Clark street, entertained the Diner Club of Elgin last evening at her home. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock and the evening was devoted to bridge.

G. U. G. Auxiliary Meets.—Mrs. George Esser, 323 Pease Court, will entertain the Ladies Auxiliary to the G. U. G. Thursday afternoon at her home.

Carnation Club Meets.—Carnation club, Laurel Lodge, No. 2, D. of H., will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edna Schaeferberg, 413 Williams street. Mrs. Emma Schoenrock will assist the hostess in entertaining.

K. Y. A. Meets—Miss Beatrice Kelly, North Chatham street, was hostess Monday evening to the K. Y. A. club. The evening was spent in regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening in Eagles hall.

Sunflower Party Planned.—A character party is being planned by the Sunflower club which will give its next dancing party, Wednesday.

## Edgerton

Frank Russell, Correspondent.

Edgerton.—Dr. and Mrs. Keenan, Stogberg, entertained about 24 at a dinner party last evening. Those from here who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Atwell, Mr. and Mrs. Clauden Farmer, Mrs. Fred Jensen, Miss Eddie Lord, Mrs. Oscar Jensen, and Walter Cobbett.

Miss Clara Jensen returned Sunday evening at 9 p.m. with friends in Chicago. Mrs. Willard Doty and daughter Marie spent the weekend with Mrs. Doty's parents in Stoughton.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Adeo had his tonsils and adenoids removed Saturday at the Lockwood hospital.

Paul Jensen returned to Stevens Point Monday morning.

Willard Doty transacted business in Fort Atkinson Monday.

Mrs. George Doty was called to Beloit Saturday to attend the funeral of her sister's husband, Mr. Johnson.

S. P. Madden, who has been in Mercy hospital for some time, returned to his home this morning.

Mr. Don McNally, Watertown, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flagg, who are entertaining another daughter, Mrs. Clarence Jones, who now lives in Stevens Point. Mr. Jones will be remembered as city engineer a few years ago.

Mrs. David M. Whisbeck of the University of Wisconsin, will give the address on "The Rule of Ages." The graduation of the class marks the first mid-year class to be graduated in the history of the Janesville high school.

The 32 Graduates

The graduation class is composed of Rose Mary Cray, Gladys Kramer, Dorothy Kueck, Howard and James Gage, Robert Bliss, Ruth B. Olson, George Nichols, Donald L. Loring, Carl Larson, Marjorie Ensign, Robert Jacobs, Lucy Henly, Lucille Atkinson, Dorothy Oestreich, Ida Hubbard, Edward Remond, Kenneth Schmidt, Gerald Gokey, Harry McCann, Isabel Morris, Henry Tall, Beatrice Field, Gwendolyn Carmen, Frederica Moen, Wilhelmina Dotsch, Willard James, Julia Hamilton, Mabel Nott, Freda Wortscheid, Katherine Maden and William Korn.

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Spring Valley Girl Is Wedded to Jefferson Man

(By George Correspondent)  
 Judith Lee Martin Hildebrandt, of Spring Valley, was united in marriage to Benjamin Miller of Jefferson, on last Friday by Rev. H. W. Procknow. Miss Clara Hildebrandt, sister of the bride, and John Miller, brother of the groom, attended the couple.

The bride is the daughter of J. Ferdinand of Spring Grove. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Miller, residing in Jefferson. They will reside on a farm southwest of this place.

Certainly take advantage;

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# EYES OF COUNTY ON SUPERVISORS

January Session Opens Today—Interest High in County Agent Matter.

Members of the Rock county board began their adjourned session in the court house here this afternoon shortly after two o'clock. The board first turned attention to the committee meetings, the reports for the departments for the year 1920.

The various committees held meetings either this morning or afternoon in final preparation to make reports to the board. The highway committee spent much time this morning in conference with County Highway Commissioner Charles E. Moore in outlining the county highway work for 1921.

After the first rush of reports on agenda and claims, the boards expect to take up the matter of the county agent. If there are no objections of "technical nature offered, it is expected that the agriculture committee may bring in a report later this afternoon on the most important board question of whether the association sending the officer will be kept in effect or discontinued to keep the county agent R. H. Glassen, in office.

The majority of the county board members will attend the Twilight club dinner tonight and hear E. M. Hubbard, head of the department of rural economics, speak.

## LAKOTAS TO BOOST GIRLS' PRODUCTION

Lakotas will aid V. W. C. A. boosters in making a success of home talent musical production here January 31, and February 1. This was decided at the old meeting last night. They will put on one of the five acts. It will be a plantation scene, featuring "darktown" music and songs.

President Poy Merrick appointed the following committee to work with the girls in charge of the show and arrange for the Lakotas' share: Elbridge Fifield, chairman; Ben Kuhlow and Walter Circle.

Elbridge Kelly was named chairman of a committee to arrange for a pre-Lenten social function to which each club member will be invited to invite one couple. It is proposed to have a basketball game between the married and single men in the armory, followed by a dance in Torrisonian hall. It will be strictly an informal affair.

Harri Siegel was voted in as a resident member of the club, and Alice Doornan as a non-resident member.

A request for adoption of Near East orphans was laid over to the next meeting.

## LUTHERAN LEADERS OF 5 CITIES GATHER

Committee meeting of the English Lutheran Synod of the Northwest is being held here today with J. K. Jensen of the English Lutheran church. Those here from Milwaukee are Rev. W. P. Chisholm, Minneapolis; Rev. D. M. Roth, Chicago; Rev. W. F. Baer, Fargo, N. D.; Rev. H. K. Rubrecht, Minneapolis; and George Heming, Milwaukee.

## DRYS TO STRENGTHEN MULBERGER ACT

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plaint or warrant would be held void by reason of insufficient description of the place or property, providing the officer has been able to identify the property and make a search.

Any citizen of the state or any attorney or lawyer entitled to employ an attorney to assist the district attorney to perform his duties under the act, and would be recognized as an associate counsel. No prosecution could be dismissed over the objection of the associate counsel until the reason for dismissal shall have been filed in writing and considered by the court.

### SOLVABLE FOR DAMAGE.

The drys holding the liquor would be liable for injury caused by an intoxicated person and be subject to suit for recovery of actual and exemplary damages.

The commissioners or any of his deputies would be empowered to examine any person presumed to have knowledge of liquor sales and refusal to answer questions could be punished by a fine not to exceed \$200.

Any drys arrested and refusing to testify where he obtained liquor could be placed in jail and held until he testifies or is discharged by the courts.

The dairy and food commissioner, under provision of the amendments, would be required to make analysis of any liquor believed to be intoxicating, and file report with the commissioners or district attorney.

Violators of the law would be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 in addition to costs of the action, or imprisonment for not more than six months and for the second offense a fine of not more than \$2,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year.

## CITY CAN BOAST HONOR INFANT

Janesville has an honor baby in Betty Lucile Worthington, who received honorable mention as one of the 50 having highest scores among several thousand in a Milwaukee newspaper Better Babies Contest, held in Milwaukee on Friday. The little girl is four years old. She was examined and recommended for the contest by Dr. W. H. Munro, who found her rating high both in physical and mental development.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Worthington, 324 Cherry street.

## C. COLLECTORS REPORT SUCCESS

Early success in the Chamber of Commerce campaign to get delinquent members to pay back dues was reported at a meeting of the workers at the Grand hotel at luncheon today. Eighteen members paid out this morning and another set will go out tomorrow. Courtland Count of the Chicago office of the American city bureau is in charge of the work.

## Position Wanted Ads, Free

Those out of work and unable to pay for the service, the Gazette will insert work or position wanted ads for two days without charge.

## SOPRANIST CHARMIS LARGE AUDIENCE AT APOLLO RECITAL

A graceful young woman with pleasing personality which dominated her entire delivery and a soprano voice of exceptional range, Miss Gladys Swarthout delighted the largest Apollo club audience gathered this season last evening at the Methodist church.

Robert Kyle Smith accompanied the soloist on the piano. He has been successful as a composer. Miss Swarthout sang a group of his songs which were "A Nocturne of Love," "The Moon," "O Happy Wind," and "Dixie Lullaby" as an encore. By request she also sang John A. West's "That Sweet Story of Old" which was sung here a few years ago by Franklin Steele. "It's Up There" the very first solo number was used to close the program, followed by "Plus de danse" (from Les Amours de Jean), "Jeunesse," "The Moon," "O Happy Wind," by Mr. Smith; 3, "Romanza" ("Cavalier Rusticano"); 4, "Romance," "Les Cloches"; "Chevauchée Costeque;" "Alme-Moi." In "The Supplication," "Les Wishes for the Kingdom of Heaven."

Many of the numbers were in French. It is a question always in any popular presentation of concert music whether an audience which is made up of only a small percentage of those who understand French, is as honestly appreciative of these numbers as though they were sung in English.

## FIREMEN THINK IT'S BADGER GAME

Firemen were victims of one kind of a Badger game last night, answering four alarms in two hours. At 9 o'clock, they were called to the Badger Drug company; at 9:15 to the Badger Cafe; and at 10:30 to the Badger Cafe. All were chimney fires, with no damage. The other alarm was at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Frank Kinsel, 144 McKinley boulevard, a chimney fire.

Chief Murphy today appealed to the public to cooperate in cutting down chimney fires by having the flues cleaned often. "The firemen are willing to do their duty but don't want to make chimney sweeps out of them," he said.

## LUMBER COMPANY FILES 13 LIENS

For material bills there were 13 liens filed in circuit court this morning by the FifeLumber Co. against the Sader and Mosher Construction company. The liens are against various pieces of property in this city. During the year of 1920 there were 174 liens filed in circuit court here.

## OBITUARY

**Philip Hunt.** Funeral services for Philip Hunt were held at 8 o'clock Monday morning at St. Patrick's church. Rev. James F. Ryan officiated. Interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery. Leftbearers were: James T. Crowley, Michael McGuire, John O'Connor, John Murray, Thomas Queeney, and James Dee.

## HELD FOR TRIAL ON BOOZE CHARGE

(Continued from page 1) barrel about every three weeks and that when it was being sold it was being sold "hard," he guilt serving it with his trade but mixed it with fresh cider. The defense brought out that it is impossible to keep cider long without it developing some alcohol. A play was made on the point that the cider had hardened after it was confiscated and before being tested some weeks later. This denied by the state through Professor Smith.

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## FOUR DRY GOODS MEN TO MEETING

Four local dry goods merchants are attending a meeting of the state dry goods committee in session at Milwaukee. They are Robert Bestwick and Sidney Bestwick of J. M. Bestwick & Sons; G. M. Neimer of T. F. Burns Co., and R. J. Osborn of Osborn & Dudding.

Officers and directors are being elected today. Senator Irvine Lemoine speaks at a banquet tonight.

## ALL SHARE OWNERS WANTED AT MEETING

All stockholders are urged to attend the annual meeting of the Janesville Park association at the city hall at 7:30 Thursday night. Two directors will be elected to fill the vacancies of E. T. Ransom and Dr. G. C. Wauke whose terms expire. Officers will be elected and general business transacted.

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## SCHOOL GROUND IS FLOODED FOR RINK

Hope to Have Skating at Jefferson School—Other Rinks Are Planned.

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Through the cooperation and interest of Mr. Kyle Smith, the first skating rink was built. A team wagon was used to clear a portion of the playground, which was most level and adapted for a skating rink. The work was done under the direction of A. E. Bergman, physical director of the Y. M. C. A. The rink proved successful and winter weather prevails for a long enough period, it is planned to make several more rinks at school playgrounds.

According to Director Bergman, to obtain the best results in making rinks on ordinary grounds, the rink must be skinned several times and a thickness gradually attained. The skating rink at the tennis courts of the Y. M. C. A. which was spoiled by the warm weather, is to be replaced by a skating rink with the help and co-operation of cold weather, hopes to have the Y. M. C. A. rink is completed again by Saturday.

## ICE HARVEST HERE IS BEING RUSHED

A crew of 35 worked all day Sunday clearing the snow from the river and marking the ice for cutting which began yesterday.

The work of cutting and storing in the three houses will take about two weeks. The first accident occurred yesterday when one of the horses fell in the water. He was rescued.

The ice is from 8 to 12 inches thick. Thickness of last year's cut was 14 to 16 inches.

## BUILDING ASS'N MAKES PROGRESS, HEADS RE-ELECTED

Reports showing the Janesville Building & Loan association having 1830 shares of installment stock and 242 of paid up and having given loans totaling \$25,500 in the first year of its existence were made at the first annual meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce Monday night. Thirty directors whose terms were expiring were re-elected. They are Sidney Bestwick, M. P. Richardson, and Edward Buss. The bondholders will meet again this week, at which they will choose their officers and make plans for the ensuing year.

It was brought out at the meeting that \$2,000 in installment stock and \$500 in paid up was sold yesterday.

The report shows that the organization has 122 members of installment stock and 29 holding paid up stock totalling \$16,700. Applications are on hand for 1000 in loans. Receipt of instruments made up date of 38,372. Examinations of satisfaction were made by the stockholders. Only three members withdrew their shares during the year.

## MAN, ARRESTED BY WIFE, RELEASED

The action started by Alta Tortes against her husband, Thomas Tortes, Beloit, was dismissed in circuit court yesterday afternoon by Judge George Grimm. She brought suit for divorce and obtained a writ against his leaving the state. He was sought to jail in default of bonds.

Tortes then filed a document demanding reason for his confinement in jail. The case was taken before Judge Grimm who took action from the bench to settle the difficulties.

Gust Haugen obtained a divorce from his wife, Sylvia Haugen, in the hearings held yesterday. They are from Beloit.

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See management

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## PERSONALS

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Mrs. Eugene Olin has returned to her home in Colgate, Ill., after attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Barbara Wells.

Mrs. A. W. Woodworth and Mrs. Willis Taylor went to Evansville, Monday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Starkweather.

Miss Mildred Settle, 459 North Pearl street, is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. A. W. Sampson and daughter, Mrs. E. M. Arnold, 589 McKinley boulevard, have returned from Oshkosh where they spent the week-end with friends.

James and Celestine Hoben, Gatesburg, Ill., were in the city over the weekend.

Mrs. Louis Kersiel, 728 Glen street, is recovering after an illness of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Newell, New York city, are spending a few days in the city. He is connected with the New York store of the Parker Pen Company.

Richard O'Brien, 7 North Jackson street, is spending several days in Chicago.

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## THE GAZETTE'S PLATFORM.

More and better houses. Curbing the rent  
protection.

Open roads in the country 365 days a year.

Market place in the city business house.

Homes built for working class.

More parks and playgrounds.

Make the city a place of welcome to visitors  
and new residents and not for their exploitation.

Run the hotel for Janesville in 1921.

Provide entertainment, place and music  
for the people all the year.

Provide a camp for the auto tourists who  
come to Janesville.

Continue the paving of Janesville streets  
until all are completed.

## SPIKING THE WHISKEY GANG.

The criminal whiskey gang is getting its day in court with a vengeance. To begin with, Judge William B. Quinlan, who has a reputation the state over for his fairness on the bench and for his rigid and sturdy honesty, sentenced ten men for liquor law violations at Marinette. That was in a circuit court of the state and is evidence that the Mulberger law, under which the men were arrested, is not without its teeth. It needs a judge, however, with a spine. Then Judge Geiger at Milwaukee, sitting in Federal court, gave six Green Bay men hard sentences. And over in La Crosse, Judge Landis was trying and trying out the Huey cases of the desperadoes who have made defiance of law a regular business and have become the "Black Bart's" and the James Boys of the whiskey business. After we get about a hundred or so of these criminals in jail they may realize that there is a God in Israel. What we need is not more law, but more judges that have something beside the vertebral of the anglerworm.

## HAS CITY EFFICIENCY.

St. Petersburg, Fla., has a city managerial and commission government. Gas sells at \$1.25 a thousand cubic feet. It has 14,000 population. It had a street car system that was the butt of ridicule the state over. The company was about to sell it for junk. It had lost \$300,000. But the city bought it for \$175,000, and the first year added 5 one-man cars and made \$300. Then they added 13 one-man cars and are making money right along. The way it is done is through business efficiency in city government. That's peculiar, but possible, under city management.

Ago the attention of the legislature is called to the multiplicity of commissions carrying on the administration of state affairs. There is need for the reduction of the number to the lowest possible terms and the consolidation of many of them into one functioning body. These commissions are usually expensive and waste much money in going over the same ground. Educational administration should be in the hands of one set of officials, marketing and food administration in another. There are a number of other interlocking bodies and many questions as to jurisdiction arise. Eliminate the commissions down to the last actual necessity and save a large amount of money to the state.

Shaking the Japanese menace in the face of the senate succeeded in saving the army at the figure of 175,000 officers and enlisted men. Apparently the cherry blossoms are not so inviting as they once were. In this connection it is noted that the worst cases of famine in China are in Shantung province which was given to Japan by consent of President Wilson. Instead of aiding the starving there Japan is permitting the United States to feed its dying Chinese. In the meantime one-half the Jap budget is going for armament.

One of the things brought out at the convention, and particularly at the banquet of the Master Builders, was the fact that this organization owes its life to a meeting held here in Janesville. The records of the secretary of that meeting and the first secretary of the organization, William Ford, are of deep interest. They are evidence of what can be attained by having a fixed purpose and sticking to it. It is a good thing for all that Mr. Ford has retained the records.

Janesville's Building and Loan Association has held its first annual meeting and the reports have sustained the judgment of the public in subscribing for the stock. There should be additional subscriptions from the people. It provides an excellent way of saving, is in line with thrift movements and in the end can be made a strong, if not the strongest single factor in financing the homes necessary to be built in Janesville.

All right, Gov. Blaine, no one will refuse to agree with you that it is a wise thing to cut out a lot of the expense accounts of the junketing state officials, not only after, but before campaigns.

The storm streams seem to have skipped Janesville and Southern Wisconsin except for a few minutes of valuable time which might well be spent elsewhere.

Even with Mr. Harding in the presidential chair astronomers will have to concede that one of the great discoveries in 1920 was the Marion Star.

35,000 cotton mill operatives are back to work—*but still issuing bonds to the bank* put toward a new plant in an airplane way.

Milwaukee people have let a contract for a million dollar hotel. Who threw that brick in Janesville?

Furs are going down fast and the tabby cat will soon hardly be worth the milk she drinks.

Can the nation be said to have disarmed until the last battleship is scrapped?

## CITY RUBES

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

New York City, Jan. 18.—The idea, usually so popular with city people, that all rubes live in the country, seems to lack force in New York this season. Too many people are being cleverly separated from their small change. For in the wake of the crime wave has come an epidemic of petty graft, to which the shrewd, sophisticated New Yorker has succumbed as easily as he did to last year's flu, showing himself to be quite as gullible as his rural relatives.

Hardened shop-keepers of long city training have been buying fake furs and paste jewels with a reckless good nature that would astonish even a suburb, and thousands of conniving Broadway residents have been contributing to fake causes with a sentimental abandon rarely exhibited by the citizens of small towns. In spite of all the talk about money being tight, beggars and fraud specialists are having a nice time in New York this year than they have ever had before.

Here is the sort of thing which is constantly happening to enliven the atmosphere along Broadway and Fifth Avenue.

The other night, a friend of the reporter, a shrewd young business man in Wall Street, was on his way home when he was accosted by a well-dressed, well-built stranger, who stretched forth a gloved hand in delighted recognition.

"I don't suppose you remember me," said the unknown one, with an admirable mixture of cordiality and reserve. "But I have seen you so often on the street. I'm employed in the next office building, you know. Here in New York we don't speak to people so readily as we do in my home town, but I've often wanted—Well, I'm awfully lucky to run into you now, for I'm in need of help. Just had an accident and had to haul my car into a garage about three blocks from here, and now I find I'm just five dollars short on the repair bill. Worst of it is I promised to meet my wife at the station this afternoon. She'll be loaded down with Christmas junk and won't have a cent left. As soon as I caught sight of you, though, it occurred to me that you might be able to help me out."

At this point, the stranger drew forth his wallet and disclosed a fat roll of small bills.

"I've got fifty-three dollars here," he smiled drolly, "but the repair bill is fifty-eight." Then, with engaging frankness: "I am going to ask you if you can let me have the extra five until tomorrow morning. I can run right over to your office from mine in a few minutes and hand it back to you."

"That's all right," interrupted our friend un-easily, but agreeably, taking a five spot from his much smaller roll of bills. "Glad to let you have it. I may need some help myself some time."

And that was the end of the incident—except that the cordial stranger has never been seen since, and inquiry in the next office building revealed no information concerning him. But a few days later, the morning papers warned their readers about this particular form of "touch."

It is extraordinary to what lengths the small fraud artist will go to obtain a five spot, as the young assistant of a well-known woman philanthropist here can tell you. This young woman was quietly cataloging in her office the other day, when a nice-looking young man, with soft brown eyes and neatly combed pompadour, alighted in immaculate clothes, dashed excitedly into the door and asked to see Mrs. J., the young woman's employer.

"Where is she?" he demanded, his face flushed apparently from the exertion of running. "I must see her at once. I ran all the way up here from the hotel down the block. Gone to lunch? Oh, I say, that's tough. Is there any way I can reach her immediately—you see, I'm in a rather embarrassing predicament." "I'm afraid I don't know where she is," said the assistant, but she ought to be back in about an hour."

"What am I to do?" exclaimed the young man dramatically. "Perhaps you can advise me. You see, I've asked a girl to lunch, and when we were seated at the table down there at the hotel, I suddenly discovered I didn't have a scrap of money on me. All in my other clothes, you know," he explained in evident embarrassment. "So, knowing Mrs. J. very well, I thought I could just run up here and get a loan from her, but I suppose it's no use. I can't leave the young lady waiting for an hour."

The young assistant was sympathetic. She thought the young man looked very boyish and helpless, and she felt sorry for the damsel, who was about to be deprived of her luncheon with him. So she took the fifteen dollars he had told her needed from her own purse and insisted upon his accepting it, in perfect confidence that he would return it, as he said he would, the next afternoon.

But when Mrs. J. returned, the young assistant was dismayed to learn that that good lady had never heard of Gavin Courtney, the name the young man gave, nor did she know any young man who answered his description. A few days later, however, when she described him to the police, they seemed to be on quite familiar terms with him.

One of the most expensive cases of fraud which recently occurred on Fifth Avenue in the shopping district was one in which most sophisticated of humans, a professional chauffeur, was hoodwinked.

The man's employer, a very wealthy woman, had just removed her twenty-thousand-dollar cable coat from storage in a furrier's shop, and upon returning to the car, left it in his care while she continued her shopping. As the chauffeur waited, a stranger sauntered up and engaged him in conversation about the town, the weather and about various makes of cars. Then he sauntered on, and in a few seconds another stranger appeared on the block, staggering in an almost forgotten manner. The chauffeur found this second man so interesting that he failed to see the first stranger circle the car and calmly remove the cable coat. The first he knew of the incident was when a policeman came and informed him that a bus conductor, from his position on top of an Avenue bus, had seen it go.

While slight-of-hand work of this description is constantly increasing, it must not be supposed that New York has been free of petty fraud until this year. As a matter of fact, it has always suffered more than any other city in the United States from this evil. In a way, New Yorkers have become accustomed to it, as they have to other metropolitan inconveniences. There are the slot machines on the elevated and subway stations, for example. A slot machine is an innocent apparatus in itself, and is a great boon to a gum-chewing public, but the slot machines of these stations are graveyards of ruined hopes. They are supposed to contain chewing gum, and occasionally they do, but, ah, how often they don't. Yet never are they empty of nickels and pennies thrust in by trustful persons who sigh and swear and miss their trains in an effort to get something out.

But perhaps the most suspicious establishments in New York are the hat-checking parlors, where surprising frauds of one kind and another are always coming to light. Most astonishing of these was one discovery recently made when a couple of hat check boys got into a fight. When the guests rushed into the check room and succeeded in separating the brawling principals they found that the cause of the hostilities was a spool of white thread.

By degrees, the story came out. It seems that when a stingy dunc or diner refuses to tip for an unnecessary brushing off, he is permitted to get just as far as the door. Then a boy politely requests him to stop. Rushing up to the guest's back, the boy begins to brush off a cluster of white ravelings, conveying at the same time his keen distress that such a well-dressed gentleman should be so careless. This is where the white spool of thread comes in, and also its immediate result—a dime. Always a dime, and sometimes, if the guest is much embarrassed, a quarter.

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## JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

**THE SILENCE OF SNOWSTORMS.**  
I don't know how to say it, but somehow there seems to be a silence to a snowstorm that just grips the soul of me.

The rain drops have a patter as they splash against the panes and rattles like a thousand railroad trains, and the snow begins to drift and swirl.

But a good old-fashioned snowstorm has no tumult in its sweep.

As it spreads its spotless blanket where the roses lie asleep.

There's no herald of its coming, no black, angry patch of sky,

No great gust of wind to whistle or anything that thunders.

But the birds give up their singing, and the trees stand still.

And the snow begins to flutter round, the humblest window sill.

Then the noise of busy traffic seems somehow to die away.

While the world takes on the silence of a country Sabbath day.

He who rises with the dawning, ere the trade of men begins,

Sees a world of wondrous beauty, washed completely of its sins.

He who goes to the tropics and the glory of the pain.

Never know such robes of silver or such sweet, unbroken calm.

As they stand on winter mornings in their uniforms of snow.

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## ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

By ROY K. MOULTON

**AINT IT A FACT?**  
Good advice, it offered gratis.  
Never did appeal to me;  
Somewhat, it was never sat.  
Factory, as it should be,  
But when kid's tummies hurtin'  
And the doctor wifey phone;  
His advice, I'm always certain,  
Means I must cough up five bones;

—Frank Bill.

"Put Anti-Freeze in Your Radiator?"—Sign  
Wisher if it would keep an apartment house  
radiator from freezing.

**THE ENGLISH INVASION.**

Here now: Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, Elton  
Glyn.

Coming attractions: G. Bernard Shaw, G. K.  
Chesterton, Margot Asquith, Somerset Maugham,  
Arnold Bennett.

**ASK US**

Suggest the crime wave survivors get up an  
anti-association while there are a few left.

Mr. Wilson refuses an offer of \$150,000 for  
one article on any subject. We have never done  
that, in our entire literary career.

**A COMPLETE NOVEL.**

The report that Homer Gardner and Bonnie  
Edwards getting married, as has been reported,  
is incorrect.

Mr. Sam Brown, from Sulphur Springs, came  
out and made Bonnie Edwards a call Sunday  
evening. They enjoyed a car ride.

Mr. Homer Gardner has gone back to Van  
Ormy, Tex., where he will stay until spring.—  
Hunt Correspondent in Ozark, Ariz., Spectator.

**Who's Who Today**

**PRES. MICHAEL HAINISCH.**

A collapse of Austria's finances will occur in  
the near future unless the allies grant the foreign  
credits proposed by the reparations committee.

That is the prediction of Michael Hainisch, the new chief executive of the Austrian  
public, according to the Vienna correspondent.

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Austria believes that President Franklin D. Roosevelt is the Moses in this nation's plight.

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# Gazette's Daily Page for Women Will Always Be Found Interesting

## A SWEETHEART AT THIRTY

The Story of a Woman's Transformation

BY MARION RUBINCAM

### CHAPTER XIV ESTHER'S IDEAS

"It's Providence that's what it is," said Esther, shaking a pillow vigorously.

"What is Providence?" I asked, smoothing the sheet carefully and tucking in all the corners methodically, as Esther liked.

"You reply," she murmured, "some words which would be impossible to get down which she gave them. What she said was—"

"It's Providence that Sarah's sister died, and she found that other fellow out West some place."

But as she was holding a fat pillow tightly between her teeth, and pulling on a pillow case, her words were very faint.

"I saw the Esther was about to express her opinion concerning Mark and myself, and there was nothing we could do but let her have it out."

"I replied, gathering up the white counterpane up neatly, and began folding the blanket carefully at the foot of the bed.

Had work been hot and busy week.

The farm work done, and the house cleaned, I had enough hired men now, but two of them lived with us, and that meant extra belts to make up, two more rooms to be kept clean, and two more to cook for.

Having accustomed myself to the small amounts of marketing necessary for Violet and myself during the winter, I used to stand in amazement at the huge rounds that went into the occasional purchases of articles that were completely demolished before the meal was over. Jim was always what Esther called a "hearty feeder," and James came home ravenous. The hired men always ate enormously. We had, next three times a day—at least, they did. Violet and I—suppose having trained our appetites differently during the winter, also—eaten a great deal.

"But I think we were the healthiest for it."

She shook out another pillow, and held it between her teeth to put on a new case. I looked at her critically again. "I wonder what you eat?" I asked. "His hearty feeding notions!" There was a curious resemblance in shape between Esther and the pillow. She had allowed herself, even when she was quite young and only married a few years, to grow fat and rather bloated.

She had fulfilled her mission. In life—she had found a man, married him, she was bearing him children and keeping his house. What else was there?

"And of course," she went on, "Laura and I both think your clothes silly and affected—but they do make you look younger, there's no denying that. And as I says to Laura, after all it don't matter what you does to yourself, you can wear things with pride that isn't in show your ankles. And she can toddle about on high heels when she ought to be wearing common sense shoes at her age, and she can smear her face all up with creams and such truck—but it's all right, I says, as long as she gets him."

"Esther!" I cried in anger. "What are you talking about?"

"Many a time," she said, her eyes growing round in surprise. "You had those sentimental ideas about not taking him because he didn't love you. Now you are making yourself look young again, so's he'll fall in love. And he'll do it too, if you treat him nice. As I said, it was Providence made Sarah's relation die out West and sent her out there to marry that other man. Otherwise, she'd have Mark and you'd be too fat."

Tomorrow—An Ugly Suspicion

### SHOPPIRE

By Gazette Correspondent

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl 18 years old and am a leader in high school. I have been going with a boy who is one year my senior. I think he has a terrible disposition. Sometimes he acts as if he cares for me and sometimes he doesn't. I do not know how to take him.

He seems to be jealous even of the girls. He has asked me to drop one of my chores. He doesn't want me to talk to school girls or the school boys. He takes me places and shows me a good time if every way. When anybody is around he seems to show his authority by saying things which hurt my feelings very much. When my sister and her chum are here with their boy friends he talks to them and never says a word to me when we are alone he seems to be a little fat.

Of course I am not in love with him, but like him as a friend. Do you advise me to drop him and go with the other boys? He does not go with other girls. DOUBTLESS.

Youth is not responsible for its actions. Both boys and girls in their teens do many strange and foolish things, not because they want to be mean, but because they cannot control their impulses. A girl is often nearer to the boy she loves than to anyone else, and the same thing is true with the boy.

I would not advise you to let anything make you unhappy. If the boy causes you unhappiness, give him up, but if you find him worth while as a friend, overlook his boyhood peculiarities.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: When I was a girl 21 years old I had one love affair that broke up, while I am very glad of. Since then I have gone to California and learned a great many different things. One thing is about boys—I object to having a boy kiss me good-night without being engaged! The usually gets angry and never comes back. I don't care less to bother with such boys, but perhaps one day the right one will come along. I don't want a husband like that. My folks were congenial and I have seen others who were, and I believe it a good idea to wait. My brothers and sister call me an old maid, because I don't go with fellas. I am really anxious to settle down. I am 25 years old and can't afford a steady with my work, but I like my work.

"A NURSE." I believe your conclusions are right. Do not force marriage. If you are too hasty and marry with out love you will regret it. I also agree with your views about kissing.

ANXIOUS YOUTHNESS.

I think your plan is good. Invite the lad to tea afternoons tea. Serve him, giving your guests a choice of cream and sugar or lemon to flavor it, small sandwiches and small pieces of cake.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young lady of 24 and would like to have a certain address, but am undecided what to do about it.

ANSWER IN DUET.

Your problem cannot be solved through this column. If you are very anxious to find out an address you might succeed through the services of a detective agency.

Georgia: Thank you for your kind note and good wishes.

### Household Hints

MENU-JUICE  
Breakfast.  
Grapefruit.  
Cereals and Cream.

Omelet. Coffee. Toast.

Luncheon.  
Potato Pancakes.

Baked Potato. Salad.

Cream. Dinner.

Boiled Beef. Horseradish Sauce.

Mashed Potatoes.

Cabbage au Gratin.

Orange and Date Salad.

Gingerbread. Coffee.

RICESES FOR DINNER.

Boiled Beef—Four-pound piece.

bisket, cross rib or stickier pieces, six peppercorns, one tablespoon oil salt, one slice bayleaf, one small onion.

Wipe meat with a damp cloth cover with boiling water, bring to a boil quickly and then reduce the heat so as to cook slowly until tender, allowing 30 minutes for each pound.

When half done add salt and seasonings. Serve with horseradish sauce.

Horsradish Sauce—Three table-

spoons fine bread crumbs, one cup grated horseradish, three tablespoons butter, two slices onion, one-half cup milk, one teaspoon salt, one quarter teaspoon pepper.

Cook crumbs, horseradish, milk together in a double boiler for 20 minutes. Add butter and seasoning.

Cabbage au Gratin—One small head of cabbage, two tablespoons flour, two tablespoons butter substitute, one teaspoon salt, few grains paprika, one cup milk, one-half cup bread crumbs, two tablespoons butter, salt and pepper.

Boil cabbage, drain and chop finely. Add flour and then milk. Cook until smooth and thickened, stirring constantly. Add salt and pepper. Put a layer of cabbage in a greased baking dish, cover with a layer of white sauce. Repeat.

Spread crumbs on top, dot with butter substitute and bake 20 to 30 minutes in moderate oven.

Soft Glue—One cup molasses, three tablespoons melted fat, one cup boiling water, three cups flour, three-quarters cup sugar, one teaspoon each of soda and salt, one teaspoon glugger.

Dissolve the fat in hot water, then add the molasses and sugar. Beat in the dry ingredients, which have been sifted together. Bake in a shallow pan for one-half hour.

TRIED SUGGESTIONS

Cooking Suggestions—Buy a small oven to put over one burner on top of gas stove. You can bake pies, cake, biscuits, puddings, etc., with little heat. This is very convenient, fine in summer as it does not heat up kitchen and fine in winter when gas is low, but heat is concentrated in small space.

To Remove Lettering From Cloth

BY MARION RUBINCAM

The Story of a Woman's Transformation

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DEAR JOE:

Why should she keep his love? Didn't she marry him? Wasn't that enough? He had to go on toying her—he had promised to see her alone. Then he went back to his own home. This morning we heard he was coming back again in a few days, and that started later she regretted—but that was later, much later. Meantime we shook out the pillows and turned the mattresses and discussed Mark.

"Providence," she said.

Well Joe I know you'll be pleased to hear I've started still another plan to help carry out your idea that I ought to act trifler. It's the following. Yesterday like an unexpected flash it came over me while I was out doing my marketing that whenever I buy a half pound of anything instead of a full pound why cost me a bonus of one extra cent. The reason for this is because all the butchers and grocers charge uneven prices for everything, such as 47 cents a pound, or 43 cents a pound, and when anybody buys a half pound they always add the benefit of the doubt to themselves and make the customer pay the extra cent.

Well believe me Joe I no sooner realized what had been going on behind my back when I started in buying all full fledged pounds of everything whether I needed that much or not just on the theory that true thrift starts at home and you can't fool all of the people all the time now any more than you could when Abraham Lincoln first noticed it. And even if a half pound of meat does spoil on me occasionally I'll just put it down to profit and loss or overhead expenses and go ahead firmly buying full fledged pounds.

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**Classified Advertising**CLASSIFIED RATES  
2 cents per word per insertion  
(six words to a line)NO AD TAKEN LESS THAN 25¢ OR  
LESS THAN 2 LINES.Display Classifieds 12 lines to the inch  
CONTRACT RATES furnished on  
application of the Gazette office.Ads may be left at Dader Drug Co.  
and receive prompt attention.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Errors in want ads will be corrected  
and an extra insertion given when  
notification is made after the first in-  
sertion.Closing Hours—All want ads must be  
submitted before 10:00 A. M. for inser-  
tion on the same day. Local readers  
accepted on until 12 o'clock.Telephones—When sending an ad  
over the telephone, always ask that  
it be repeated back to you by the ad  
taker to make sure that it has been  
taken correctly. Telephone 77. Want  
Ad Department.Keyed Ad—Keyed ads can be an-  
swered by calling 10 days after the date  
of the first insertion of the ad.Classification—The Gazette reserves  
the right to classify all want ads ac-  
cording to its own rules governing  
classifications.TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS  
when they are convenient to do so.  
This will be mailed to you and as  
this is an accommodation service the  
Gazette expects payment promptly on  
receipt of bill.Persons whose names do not ap-  
pear in either the City Directory or  
Telephone Directory must send cash  
with their advertisements.

BOTH PHONES 77.

**Want Ad Branches**Badger Drug Store,  
P. O. Box 109, McKinley Blvd.  
McKinley St. Grocery,  
J. J. Fitch, 823 Western Ave.  
Carrie's Grocery, 1310 Highland Ave.  
Lynch's Grocery, Madison & Academy  
Sts.**WANT AD REPLIES**At 10:00 o'clock today there  
were replies in the Gazette office  
in the following boxes:

1479, 600, 514, 15, 142.

**SPECIAL NOTICES**ALWAYS When you think of ? ? ? ? think  
of C. F. DavisNEWS-PAPERS—Old newspapers, 5¢  
per bundle. Inquire at Gazette office.

MAGAZINES WANTED—abc, Fresh Bros.

WANTED—15x18, clean wiping rags,  
4¢ per lb. Gazette Ptg. Co.**LOST AND FOUND**FOUND—A brown purse on Milwau-  
kee Ave. Owner can have same by  
calling at Gazette and paying for this

ad.

LOST—On Belvoir road, bumper  
from a Fielder Lumber Co., Janes-  
ville, or Sago-Felt Job Co., Dela-  
ware.LOST—Ladies' grey knit glove. Call  
2350 Bell.LOST—String of pearl beads between  
High St. and nearby theatre. Leave  
at 10:30 P. M. Reward.LOST—Sewing box. Edward. Call Bell  
450 or H. C. 1392.LOST—Chinese ring tied in corner of  
handkerchief, between Barb Wire  
Factory and 1620 N. First St. by way  
of Milwaukee St. Return to Gazette.LOST—Sewing machine. Standard  
size. 16x18. Mrs. G. C. Gindhart, 1111 Madison St.

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**ARE YOU  
IN SEARCH  
OF A JOB.**THERE ARE A GREAT  
MANY MEN AND WOMEN  
IN SEARCH OF WORK AT  
THE PRESENT TIME AND  
THE MAJORITY OF THEM  
ARE SPENDING DAYS  
AND WEEKS WALKING  
ABOUT AND WRITING  
LETTERS TO VARIOUS  
EMPLOYERS. AN END-  
LESS TASK CAN EASILY  
BE REMEDIED.IF YOU ARE ONE OF THE  
UNEMPLOYED WHY NOT  
USE A "SITUATION  
WANTED" AD IN THE  
CLASSIFIED SECTION OF  
THE GAZETTE. CALL 77EITHER PHONE OR COME  
INTO THE OFFICE AND  
PREPARE YOUR AD.  
THERE ARE HUNDREDS  
OF THINGS POSSIBLY  
YOU ARE ADAPTED TO;  
WHY NOT ADVERTISE  
THEM AND LET THE  
PEOPLE KNOW WHERE  
THEY CAN FIND A MAN  
OF YOUR CALIBRE.**FEMALE HELP WANTED**EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER and  
typist wanted. Study work. State  
name and address. Apply to Ad-  
dress in writing, P. O. Box 254.RELIABLE GIRL for general house-  
work. Call Bell 434, 622 Milton Ave.WANTED—Assistant in laundry. Good  
worker. Wis. School for Blind.**WANTED**EXPERIENCED HAND  
IRON PRESSER.LEWIS KNITTING  
CO.WANTED—A maid for general house-  
work. Apply Mrs. T. W. Nuzum, 602  
Milwaukee Ave.WANTED—Competent maid for gen-  
eral housework. Mrs. J. D. Francis,  
Bell 1110.WILL EMPLOY neat appearing girl  
not over 25 for pleasant and well  
paid work in and out of city. Must  
have a diction and be good  
talker. Phone Mrs. Cleveland, Lou-  
isville Hotel.**MALE HELP WANTED**

WANTED

Men with a car to cover  
Walworth County.Newspaper subscrip-  
tion experiences neces-  
sary. We furnish leads.Address box 1862 care  
of the Gazette.**WANTED**

A-1 Butcher. Apply at

J. F. SCHOOFF

M. S. River.

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of 25 cents and 25 cents which  
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Trading Co., Grand Hotel Block.**WANTED**ALFALFA HAY—Car choice alfalfa  
in soon. Place your order now. \$35  
per ton from car. PURPLE WEED  
—Good green grass. Can be had  
for \$25.00 per ton. STANDARD  
SHODDS \$32 per ton. OLD PROGRESS  
OIL MEAL—\$47 per ton. DAIRY  
FEEDS—\$3 to \$5 per ton. 16% to  
22% protein. DAIRY FEEDS—\$3  
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This great merchandising institution has put prices now where the public believes they should be and that is at the absolutely lowest notch. *These prices are guaranteed against further reductions.*

**Suits and Overcoats**

\$45.00 \$24.75 \$55 & \$60 \$31.75  
Values . . . . . Values . . . . .

\$75.00 \$41.75  
Values . . . . .

**Boys' Suits and Overcoats**

Prices Guaranteed

\$12 Values \$7.95 \$15 Values \$9.95  
Values . . . . .

\$18.00 and \$20.00 \$12.75  
Values . . . . .

**Hats and Caps One-Fourth Off**

Prices Guaranteed

***Our Price Guarantee***

We guarantee that the prices quoted during this sale will positively be the lowest price we will sell at this season—and we further guarantee that the prices listed will be less than we shall have to ask for the same quality merchandise during the coming Spring season.

AMOS REHBERG CO.

**Shirt Prices Drop**

(Prices Guaranteed)

Silk Shirts up to \$15.00 values . . . . . \$7.45  
Silk Stripe Shirts and Fibre Silk Shirts, values up to \$8.00;  
at . . . . . \$8.45, \$4.45 and \$5.45  
Percale and Madras Shirts, values up to \$4.00,  
at . . . . . \$1.45, \$1.95 and \$2.95

**Neckwear**

(Prices Guaranteed)

Values up to \$2.50, now 75c, 85c and \$1.45

**Rehberg's Great Shoe Department**

Janesville's Greatest Shoe Store Announces these Reduction Prices simultaneously with the announcement of the Greatest Clothing Sale Janesville has ever seen.

**Men's Shoes**

Stacy Adams Shoes for Men, former price \$18, now . . . . .	\$12.95	values, . . . . . \$10.45
\$12 values . . . . .	\$9.45	\$12 values . . . . . \$9.45
\$10 values . . . . .	\$7.95	\$10 values . . . . . \$7.95
Men's Bostonians and Emerson Shoes, \$15.00		\$8.50 values . . . . . \$5.45

**Women's Shoes**

Wonderful values. Brown and Black Kid, Brown Calf, medium and high heels, \$16 value, . . . . . \$10.85	\$10 values . . . . . \$7.45
\$18.50 values . . . . . \$9.85	\$8.50 values . . . . . \$5.45
\$12.00 values . . . . . \$8.45	All other Women's Shoes in the same low price proportion.

**Growing Girls' and Misses' Shoes**

Brown Calf and Black Calf, high cut lace styles, sizes 11 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 2, and 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 7, at . . . . . \$7.45, \$6.45, \$5.45, \$4.45, \$3.45, \$2.95 and \$2.45

**Boys' and Children's Shoes in the Same Low Price Proportion**

All Men's Work Shoes at Special Reduced Prices.

This sale is the one you have been waiting for. It means a loss to us but it is your gain, so be on hand early Thursday morning and take advantage of this Bargain Carnival.

